ON EAGLES' WINGS Exodus 19:4

GOD WILL ENLARGE YOUR COAST.

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2024 Important Broad Promises Revealed

Psalm 23: 1-6

God is our shophard

God is our shepherd, He will position us and make our cup overflow. Exodus 19:4

God will carry us on eagles' wings, no matter what comes up.

Ecclesiastes 12:13

Our only role is to fear God, listen to the Holy Spirit, in us, and obey His command.

Exodus 19:4, God recounts how He has carried Israel on eagles' wings:

4 'You yourselves have seen what I did to Egypt, and how I carried you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself'.

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" ⁵ Now if you obey me fully and keep my covenant, then out of all nations you will be my treasured possession. Although the whole earth is mine, ⁶ you will be for Me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation."

What did God do for the Israelites?

First: the promise: Exodus 3: 7-8 (AMP and NIV)

⁷ The LORD said to Moses, "I have in fact <u>seen</u> the affliction (suffering, desolation) of My people who are in Egypt, and have <u>heard</u> their cry because of their taskmasters (oppressors); for I <u>know</u> their pain and suffering." "⁸ So I have come down to rescue them from the hand of the Egyptians and to bring them up out of that land into a good and spacious land, a land flowing with milk and honey—the home of the Canaanites, Hittites, Amorites, Perizzites, Hivites and Jebusites".

Exodus 6: 4 "4I also established covenant with Abraham, Isaac and Jacob to give them the land of Canaan, where they resided as foreigners."

Second: the actions for fulfilment of promise (journeying to Canaan) – carrying them on eagles' wings:

- The exodus out of Egypt after 430years in slavery/bondage: Exodus 12:31-50... they left with silver/gold
- God brought Israelites out of Egypt with a mighty hand (Daniel 9:15)
- Crossing the red sea & killing the Egyptians without Israel's efforts Exodus 14:1-31
- Leading Israel through the wilderness: Exodus 15:22 Ex 18 (bitter water became sweet, manna & quail from heaven, water from the rock, etc.)

Third: the request to stay SANCTIFIED/OBEDIENT in order to become God's special ones: Exodus 19:5-6 " ⁵ Now if you obey me **fully** and keep my covenant, **then out of all nations** you will be my treasured possession. Although the whole earth is mine, ⁶ you will be for me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation.'

The dictionary defines Coast as:

'the land near a seashore'; 'land adjacent to the sea.'

Using that imagery, when God says He will enlarge your coast, He is not giving you a dry land that cannot bear fruit. He is giving you a watered land that can flourish with abundant fruit.

Jeremiah 17:7-8 says, "Blessed is the man who trusts in the LORD, whose trust is the LORD. He is like a tree planted by water, that sends out its roots by the stream, and does not fear when heat comes, for its leaves remain green, and is not anxious in the year of drought, for it does not cease to bear fruit."

Psalm 1:1-3 says, "Blessed is the man whose delight is in the law of the LORD, and on His law he meditates day and night. He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers."

So, the coast that God gives you is not a dry land but well-watered land.

Revelations 22:1 says,

"Then the angel showed me the river of the water of life, bright as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb."

The water of the seashore, we are talking about, is flowing from the throne of God. Therefore, it will flow to you wherever you are. When it comes to where you are, you will be fruitful like a tree planted by the water and you will flourish there.

This is why God told Abraham not to be afraid when he was left with a field of dry grass (in Genesis 13). God knew that once the water from the throne of God comes unto this ground of dry grass, it will become wet, and the grass will become green.

Genesis 13:8-17

⁸So Abram said to Lot, ".... ⁹ Is not the whole land before you? Let's part company. If you go to the left, I'll go to the right; if you go to the right, I'll go to the left."

¹⁰ Lot looked around and saw that the whole plain of the Jordan toward Zoar was **well watered**, like the garden of the LORD, ¹¹ So Lot chose for himself the whole plain of the Jordan and set out toward the east. The two men parted company:

¹² Abram lived in the land of Canaan, while Lot lived among the cities of the plain ...

¹⁴ The LORD said to Abram after Lot had parted from him, "Look around from where you are, to the north and south, to the east and west (**God began to enlarge his coast**). ¹⁵ All the land that you see I will give to you and your offspring forever. ¹⁶ I will make your offspring like the dust of the earth, so that if anyone could count the dust, then your offspring could be counted. ¹⁷ Go, walk through the length and breadth of the land, for I am giving it to you."

The land Abraham got was dry before he got there (Lot took the watered green land). But as soon as Abraham got there, God began to water the ground and enlarge Abraham's coast.

One principle of God we learn here is that before your coast can enlarge, you must first see it you must see the opportunities,; from where you are, look far at every side (North, South, East, and West).

As Genesis 13:14 says, "¹⁴ The LORD said to Abram ... "Look around from where you are, to the north and south, to the east and west. ¹⁵ All the land that you see I will give to you and your offspring forever.

You must see the opportunities. Therefore, it is a good prayer point to say: "God please open my eyes to see"!

In 2 Kings 6:17, Elisha prayed for his servant

"..."Open his eyes, LORD, so that he may see." Then the LORD opened the servant's eyes, and he looked and saw the hills full of horses and chariots of fire all around Elisha.

In Deuteronomy 19:8-9, Moses speaking to the new generation of Israelites who were born at the time of exodus and in the 40 years journey in the wilderness, said to them:

"1 When the LORD your God has destroyed the nations whose land he is giving you, and when you have driven them out and settled in their towns and houses, ² then set aside for yourselves three cities in the land the LORD your God is giving you to possess."

"8 If the LORD your God enlarges your territory (coast), as He promised on oath to your ancestors (the promise to Abraham in Genesis 13:14), and gives you the whole land He promised them, 9 because you carefully follow all these laws I command you today—to love the LORD your God and to walk always in obedience to Him—then you are to set aside three more cities.

In Psalm 105:37-45

- ³⁷ He (God) brought out Israel, laden with silver and gold, ...³⁹ He spread out a cloud as a covering, and a fire to give light at night.....
- ⁴¹ He opened the rock, and water gushed out; it flowed like a river in the desert. ⁴² For He remembered His holy promise given to His servant Abraham. ⁴³ He brought out His people with rejoicing, His chosen ones with shouts of joy; ⁴⁴ He gave them the lands of the nations (as promised in Genesis 13:14), and they fell heir to what others had toiled for— ⁴⁵ that they might keep his precepts and observe his laws.

In Isaiah 43:19-20, God said

19Behold, I am about to do something new; even now it is coming. Do you not see it? Indeed, I will make a way in the wilderness and streams in the desert. 20The beasts of the field will honor Me, the jackals and the ostriches, because I provide water in the wilderness and rivers in the desert, to give drink to My chosen people.

In conclusion, Brethren, God will enlarge your coast from wherever you are. What we need to do are:

- 1. Trusts in the LORD (JEREMIAH 17:7)
- 2. Let your delight be in the law of the LORD, and meditate on His law day and night (Psalm 1:1-2)
- 3. Look around from where you are, to the north and south, to the east and west (Gen 13:14) to see opportunities
- 4. Ask God to open your eyes to see opportunities (2 Kings 6:17)
- 5. Believe confidently that God provides water in the wilderness and rivers in the desert (Isaiah 43:20)
- 6. Pray: Ask God to enlarge your coast (1 Chronicles 4:10)
- 1 Chronicles 4:10 "And Jabez called on the God of Israel, saying, Oh that you would bless me indeed, and enlarge my coast",... "And God granted him that which he requested."

